

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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) Confirmation No.: 7601
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) Group Art Unit: 2629
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Applicants: TONG et al.) Examiner: Xuong My Chung Trans
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Application No.: 10/689,789) RESPONSE in view of August 6, 2008
) Decision on Appeal
Filing Date: 10/20/2003)
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For: MULTI-AXIS RETENTION) Docket No.: P17630
MECHANISM)
) PTO Customer Number 28062
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Sir:

In view of the August 6, 2008 Decision on Appeal, the Notice of Abandonment mailed April 3, 2009, and the Petition to Revive filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.